

WHAT IS CLAIMED IS:

1. A pharmaceutical composition comprising one or more orally deliverable dose
5 units, each comprising a blend of particulate celecoxib in an amount of about 10 mg to about 1000 mg in intimate mixture with at least one excipient.
2. The composition of Claim 1 wherein the excipient comprises at least one
member selected the group consisting of a diluent, a disintegrant, a binding agent, a
10 wetting agent, and a lubricant.
3. The composition of Claim 1 wherein the excipient comprises at least one
member selected from the group consisting of a water soluble diluent and a wetting
agent.
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4. The composition of Claim 1 wherein the excipient comprises at least one
member selected from the group consisting of:
 - a) a diluent in an amount of about 5 to about 99 percent by weight of the
total weight of the dose unit,
 - 20 b) a disintegrant in an amount of about 0.5 to about 30 percent by weight
of the total weight of the dose unit, and
 - c) a binding agent in an amount of about 0.5 to about 25 percent by
weight of the total weight of the dose unit,and wherein the celecoxib is in an amount of about 1 to about 95 percent by
25 weight of the total weight of the dose unit.
5. The composition of Claim 1 wherein the excipient comprises:
 - (e) lactose in an amount of about 30 to about 225 mg per dose unit,
 - (f) croscarmellose sodium in an amount of about 0.5 to about 25 mg per
30 dose unit, and
 - (g) polyvinylpyrrolidone in an amount of about 0.5 to about 25 mg per

dose unit,

and wherein the celecoxib is in an amount about 80 to about 220 mg.

6. The composition of Claim 5 further comprising at least one excipient selected
5 from the group consisting sodium lauryl sulfate in an amount of about 0.5 to about 25
mg per dose unit, magnesium stearate in an amount of about 0.2 to about 10 mg per
dose unit, and microcrystalline cellulose in an amount of about 1 mg to about 70 mg
per dose unit.
- 10 7. The composition of Claim 1 produced by a process comprising pin milling.
8. The composition of Claim 1 produced by a process comprising wet
granulation.
- 15 9. The composition of Claim 1 produced by a process comprising pin milling and
wet granulation.